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Applicants: Michael W. McCarty  
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Device and Method for Air-Cooled  
Condensing Systems  
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Examiner: Edgardo San Martin  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office action having a mail date of May 5,  
2006.

Please amend the application and consider the remarks as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of  
this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.